

# TALK ABOUT SUBI

KEEPING THE COMMUNITY INFORMED

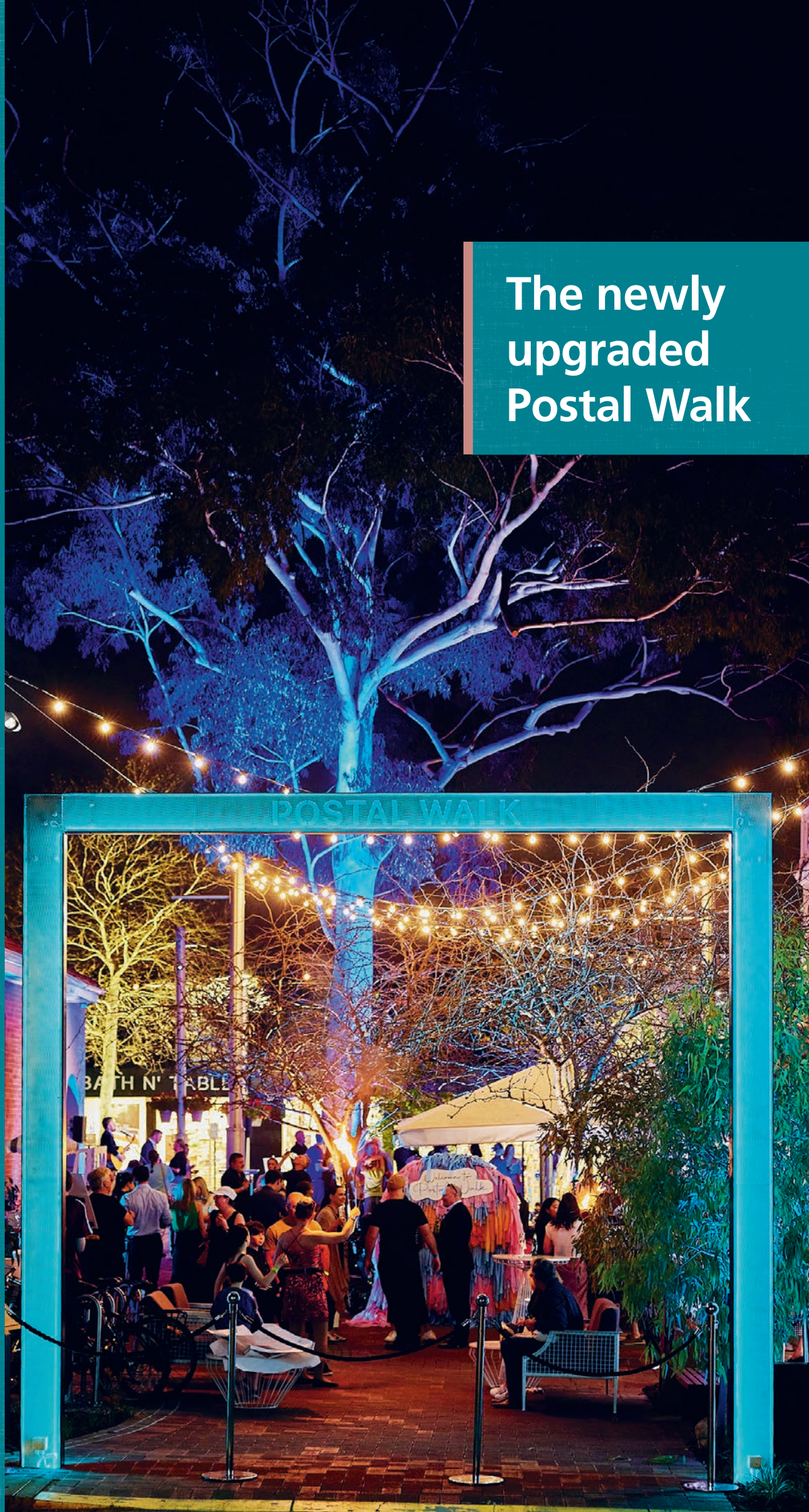
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## MEET YOUR NEW COUNCIL

Local government elections took place in October with three new Elected Members joining the Council, three Elected Members returning for another term, and new Deputy Mayor, Garry Kosovich, elected.

Meet your new community representatives below and find out what their hidden gem in the City is.

For Councillors contact details, visit [www.subiaco.wa.gov.au](http://www.subiaco.wa.gov.au).



### MAYOR

**David McMullen** | Term ends 2025

“ ‘Red Slide Park’ and ‘Blue Slide Park’. (What my kids call our two local parks). ”

### CENTRAL WARD



**Penny O'Connor** | Term ends 2025

“ Parks old and new, big or small – each with their own charm. ”



**Nicola Johnston** | Term ends 2027

“ Walking Subi's streets: I love the front gardens and character houses. ”

### EAST WARD



**Mark Burns** | Term ends 2027

“ To taste our Italian heritage – Delisio for cappuccino or a slice! ”



**Garry Kosovich** | Term ends 2025  
Deputy Mayor

“ A hidden gem of Subiaco is Rankin Gardens. ”

### NORTH WARD



**Rosemarie de Vries** | Term ends 2025

“ The restaurants, wine bars, bookshops – all just a train ride away. ”



**Russell Jones** | Term ends 2027

“ Cliff Sadlier Park, for the friendly people and happy dogs. ”

### SOUTH WARD



**Rick Powell** | Term ends 2027

“ Lake Jualbup; the jewel of Shenton Park. ”



**Simon White** | Term ends 2025

“ Austin Street Mini Park – a small pocket of tranquillity when you least expect it. ”



# CHRISTMAS IN THE CITY

There's Christmas fun for the whole family in the City of Subiaco whether you're picking up unique gifts, lunching with the work crew to celebrate a year well done, writing letters to Santa, or grabbing a festive cocktail (or two).

Head to Subiaco Pop-up Library from Monday 27 November to post your **Santa letters** and get a response from the North Pole every Tuesday (final delivery 22 December). Don't forget to include your wish list and ask Santa any questions, like what his favourite cookie flavour is!

The library will also be running daily **drop-in Christmas activities for the kids** from Monday 18 to Friday 22 December. There will be cards, colouring in, crafts and more for the family to enjoy together.

The **Subiaco Twilight Trail** will be back to explore with a brand-new tree outside the recently opened ONE Subiaco development. Marvel at the twinkling lights, grab a picture with the family, and then head to one of the newly-opened venues or old favourites in the area for a delicious dinner.

The **Subi Night Market** will be on all festive season and is the perfect spot to have a bit of down time under the setting sun to ease the bustle of the silly season.

And if unique gifts are on the cards, the City has a huge number of retailers – many of which are independent businesses – that can help you complete your Christmas shopping on your local high street this December. And even better, many of them are within walking distance of some great bars, cafés and bakeries so you can refuel afterwards.



For more holiday fun in the City, head to [www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/events](http://www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/events) and [seesubiacom.com.au](http://seesubiacom.com.au).

## FREE PARKING

Did you know the City has a range of free parking options?

Your first hour is free in many spots, or park in a City-owned carpark after 5pm on weekdays or all weekend-long for unrestricted free parking.

To find out more about parking in the City, visit our website.



## GIANT SCHOOL HOLIDAY FUN



The City always has a plethora of fun activities on to keep the kids busy during the school holidays (and teach them a thing or two without even realising it!)

The library program always sells out early so get in quick for Lego builds, crafts, games and more with bookings open from Monday 18 December.

The team will also be running the Summer Reading Quest again from 1 December with prizes along the way for how many books you can read, how often you read, and what different things you can read. And for those under five, the Summer Steps card is filled with fun activities for families to do together.

Lords Recreation Centre is also a great spot to beat holiday boredom with bookable programs, alongside a pool and sports courts to burn off some energy and keep the kids active while school's out.

While you're in the neighbourhood, drop by to say 'happy first birthday' to Subiaco's very own Giant, Bille Bob by world-renowned Danish artist Thomas Dambo. Bille has recently had some TLC and is looking good as new just in time for some birthday celebrations!

For all school holiday fun this summer, head to [www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/events](http://www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/events).

## WHAT'S ON IN SUBI?

### INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PEOPLE WITH DISABILITY (IDPwD)

#### Auslan Storytimes

**Rankin Gardens | Tuesday 28 November and Saturday 2 December**

To celebrate International Day of People with Disability (IDPwD), the City will be hosting Australian Sign Language (Auslan) Storytime. It's an opportunity for individuals of all abilities to come together, fostering a sense of unity and understanding. With captivating tales shared in Auslan, this event not only entertains but also promotes awareness and appreciation of the diverse abilities within our community.



#### Sensorium Storytime

**Rankin Gardens | Friday 8 December**

Sensorium Storytime is an enchanting experience where the senses come alive through the magic of storytelling. This immersive event transports participants to a world of sensory wonder and engages all aspects of the human senses to create a truly unforgettable storytelling adventure. Sensorium Theatre aims to improve the lives of young people with disability by sparking their imaginations and increasing their creative responses.



#### Mission Australia's Community Art Exhibition: *Nothing about us without us*

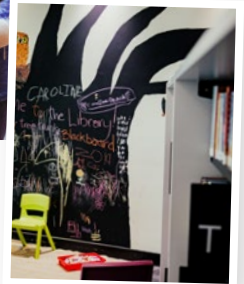
**Subiaco Arts Centre | 4 to 8 December**

Mission Australia, in partnership with the City, is pleased to announce the City of Subiaco Community Art Exhibition for the fourth consecutive year. The exhibition, *Nothing about us without us*, creates an accessible platform for emerging and mid-career artists living with disability to share lived experience through storytelling and advocate for a more inclusive and accessible society through art. The exhibition opening event will be held on Saturday 2 December.

The City runs a huge number of events – many of which are free – for all members of our community, from walking tours and book clubs to cocktail trails and baby rhymetime. To view all upcoming events, head to [www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/events](http://www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/events) and start filling up your calendar.



### SUBIACO POP-UP LIBRARY NOW OPEN



While restoration works take place at the Subiaco Library (E H Parker Library), the Subiaco Pop-up Library has opened at 241 Rokeby Road to provide continued services.

The pop-up library contains a large selection from the library's existing collection, as well as a dedicated children's library, ample seating with magazines and papers, study spaces, and a bookable meeting room.

The library team are continuing to run library events, including storytime, within the pop-up library and select events will take place outdoors in nearby grassed areas.

Mayor David McMullen said, "Hundreds of thousands of community members have visited the Subiaco Library (E H Parker Library) since its construction in 1971, and this restoration project will provide much needed improvements and enhancements to this iconic Subiaco landmark.

"We know this project will preserve this beloved building for many generations to come – and in the meantime, the community can enjoy continued library services at the Subiaco Pop-up Library."

For more information on available services and opening hours, visit [www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/library](http://www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/library).



### SUBIACO WALK-IN CENTRE

The City of Subiaco is taking action to assist people at risk of, or those currently experiencing, homelessness by engaging the Salvation Army to deliver a weekly Subiaco walk-in centre.

Located at The Third Place, the centre operates every Wednesday between 10am and 2pm to provide information, food, water, clothing, and sleeping bags to those who need it, as well as organise referrals to appropriate services including possible accommodation options.

## FREE PICNIC CONCERT SERIES




The popular sunset@subi concert series is back this summer, with a variety of outdoor live music performances lined up. Kicking off with a special Christmas concert – complete with an appearance from Father Christmas himself – the concerts will run throughout summer and include a diverse range of musical acts including Chicago-style blues and a special tribute to the Seekers and The Blues Brothers.

Grab your blanket, and bring along a picnic or something delicious from one of our great local businesses and we'll see you there! Auslan interpreters will be on stage at all concerts. All concerts run from 6pm to 8pm.

**17 December 2023** | Lake Jualbup

**Christmas concert** A celebration of festive Christmas music by the Joi Ride band.

**7 January 2024** | Lake Jualbup

**Wolf Pack** Chicago-style blues featuring toe-tapping harmonica. 

**14 January 2024** | Theatre Gardens

**Avenue**, plus their tribute to Australia's first international supergroup, The Seekers.

**21 January 2024** | Market Square

**Swingin' at the Savoy** Infectious sounds of the glamorous 20s and 30s.

**28 January 2024** | Market Square

**Funked Up Brass** High-octane New Orleans-style brass.

**4 February 2024** | Market Square

**The Australian Blues Brothers & Soul Sister** An all-singing, all-dancing revue of songs from The Blues Brothers movie.

## SUMMER OF MARKETS

It's going to be the summer of markets for Subiaco with the new City-supported Subi Night Market now on in Market Square Park every Saturday from 4pm to 9pm until April.

The new market is bringing culinary delights, delicious tipples, live music, pre-loved fashion and art together under a European-inspired village atmosphere, with a curated selection of Perth's best pop-up food stalls.

Local distillery, Spirit of Little Things Gin, is serving up a range of botanical concoctions that are perfect for sipping on as the sun sets in the park, and a dedicated section of the market will be bustling with Perth's best vintage sellers.

City of Subiaco Mayor David McMullen said, "The City is proud to be supporting the night markets as key sponsor. This will be a signature event for our City this summer, and we anticipate people being drawn in from across Perth, to experience Subiaco at its best."

"Come along to the markets on a warm Saturday and spend the afternoon or evening exploring Subiaco, and our many great restaurants, retailers and bars."

The City supports a number of other markets, including the iconic Subi Farmers Markets, which are on every Saturday morning from 8am to 12pm at Subiaco Primary School.

This market is bursting with fresh produce, delicious baked goods, and plenty of coffee and breakfast options to start your weekend off right.

For more markets and events happening in the City this summer, visit [seesubiaco.com.au](http://seesubiaco.com.au).



## RESIDENTIAL E-PERMIT PARKING IS HERE

Residential e-permits are here, replacing paper permits and providing a much quicker solution for parking in the City.

The new online system allows residents to apply for parking permits in just a couple of steps, with permits instantly valid from the time they're approved.

E-permits can't be lost or stolen, and put you in charge of the management of your permits.

Current permit holders will be transferred to the new system by City staff, and will be directly contacted when this has been completed.

If you need help with the system, please see the FAQs and tutorial at [www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/parking-permits](http://www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/parking-permits) or call the Compliance Services team on 9237 9222.





## PUBLIC REALM UPGRADES CONTINUE

The City is continuing to invest in public community spaces to give parts of Rokeby Road a refresh, and create more useable, welcoming and attractive hubs for residents, workers, visitors and businesses to enjoy.



Seddon Street – which adjoins ONE Subiaco – is the most recent to open and encourages people to linger longer, as well as creating a space that can be used for vibrant community events.

An upgraded Postal Walk – that recognises Subiaco's history and heritage through art – was unveiled in August, with Forrest Walk set for a makeover next.

As part of the City's Greenwalks project, Walmsley Lane also had a refresh to improve usability, enhance its character, increase canopy coverage and help increase sense of safety through lighting.

Mayor David McMullen said, "The City's investment in these shared public spaces will improve amenity and walkability, and encourage visitation and community use.

"These upgrades are part of the ongoing renewal of some key nodes, that will help generate momentum for our City."



## NEW IN THE CITY

A number of new eateries are getting ready to open their doors at ONE Subiaco in the coming weeks and months, proving that Subiaco's renaissance is only gaining momentum.

**Ozrif Burgers** is bringing another great burger option to the City; Maylands institution, **Commune Wine Store**, has chosen Subiaco for their second location; and the team behind local powerhouse, Shui, will be bringing big flavours to 2024 with **Larry's Charcoal Chicken**.

These new eateries will join a number of recently opened businesses, including **Market Caff**, **Pavilion Fresh Market** by MCQ, and **Saigon Alley** for authentic Vietnamese street food.

Other new openings across the City include **Bar Banter**, **Onyx and Smoke**, **Mara Collective**, **Chiill Sports**, and **Grain Bakery** in Shenton Park. **Mecca** has also expanded their space, making it a one-stop-shop for all your beauty buys.

For the latest on new venues around Subiaco, follow See Subiaco on Instagram – a City of Subiaco initiative.



## TEEN MEMBERSHIP NOW AT LORDS

As part of Lords Recreation Centre's mission to create a diverse and inclusive community, the team have introduced a new membership for teens aged 14 and 15.

It's designed for teenagers to access the gym and group fitness classes in a safe and supervised environment, while developing proper training techniques and growing their confidence.

To prioritise safety, all teen members need to complete two introductory appraisal sessions where they will talk through their fitness goals and be shown how to use all of the equipment in the gym. Independent access will be granted once both sessions are completed.

If you would like to learn more about the Lords Teen Membership, please visit [www.lords.com.au](http://www.lords.com.au), or scan the QR code.



## FOGO UPDATE

It's been six months since FOGO started in the City and we've managed to reduce waste going to landfill by 20 per cent already, diverting more than 800 tonnes of methane producing organics. Contamination rates are low (around 2 per cent) with soft plastics accounting for most of this, so please remember to use compostable liners only in your kitchen caddy.



## BULK GREEN WASTE COLLECTION THIS DECEMBER

The City's next bulk green garden waste collection will commence on Monday 11 December. Please place loose green garden waste on your verge (not in bags) by the evening of Sunday 10 December. There is no limit to the quantity of green waste that you can put out.

## HOLIDAY WASTE COLLECTION CHANGES

Our waste staff will be spending Christmas Day and New Year's Day public holidays with their families, so there will be no waste collections on Monday 25 December 2023 and Monday 1 January 2024. As such, from Monday 25 December 2023 to Friday 5 January 2024, your waste will be collected one day later than usual. Normal waste services resume on Monday 8 January 2024.

## WASTE TIPS FOR THE FESTIVE SEASON

Waste increases by about 30 per cent at Christmas time, so we've put together some tips to help you reduce waste this silly season.

### Avoid food waste

- Pre-plan your meals.
- Check what food you have before you go shopping.
- Write a shopping list.
- Give away or freeze leftovers.

### Low-waste gifts

- Give experiences, donations or gift vouchers.
- Secret Santa is a fun way to reduce waste.
- Gift sustainable alternatives to single-use items like coffee cups and produce bags.

### Sustainable wrapping

- Reuse children's drawings or paintings as wrapping paper.
- Try Furoshiki – a Japanese technique that uses reusable fabric wraps.
- Get creative and use tea towels, newspaper, a vintage scarf, reusable food wrap (such as beeswax wraps), or a stainless-steel container.

### Is your recycling bin overflowing?

- Set-up a Containers for Change collection for eligible drink containers.
- Fold, flatten or cut up cardboard boxes to save space.
- Take your excess recyclables like cardboard, polystyrene, bottles or containers to the West Metro Recycling Centre (open every day except Christmas Day and New Year's Day).



## STAFF EXPERT TIP

This edition's tip comes from Waste Education and Project Officer Daniel to help us all FOGO with confidence and reduce waste to landfill.

- All festive food scraps (like ham bones, turkey carcasses, prawn/crayfish shells) go in the FOGO bin for weekly collection.
- Store large food scraps in the freezer and put them in the FOGO bin the night before collection.
- All take away coffee cups (including compostable), all meat trays (plastic and foam), and compostable food packaging (including bamboo) go in the general waste bin.

## IN THE KNOW

### NEWS DELIVERED TO YOU



To stay up-to-date with the latest news, visit [www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/news](http://www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/news). You can also subscribe to the City's fortnightly e-newsletter to get the latest direct to your inbox, head to [www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/enews](http://www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/enews).

### HAVE YOUR SAY SUBIACO



Have Your Say Subiaco is a website where residents, businesses and visitors can find more information and provide their feedback on projects happening across the City. Visit [www.haveyoursay.subiaco.wa.gov.au](http://www.haveyoursay.subiaco.wa.gov.au).

### ACCESS TO CITY SERVICES



For 24/7 access to a range of City services, visit our online services portal on our website. If you prefer to visit us in-person, you will find our friendly customer service team at Level 2, 388 Hay Street, Subiaco. For holiday opening hours, head to [www.subiaco.wa.gov.au](http://www.subiaco.wa.gov.au).

# Summer in Subiaco

It's time to celebrate summer in Subiaco and we have plenty of events to keep you entertained! Here are a few of our hottest recommendations for your summer social calendar...



## Subi Night Market

11 November to 6 April | 4pm to 9pm | Market Square Park

*Experience a weekly pop-up food market in the park. Every Saturday evening. All summer.*

Subi Night Market will transform Market Square Park into a buzzing hub of activity, tantalising the senses with Perth's finest food stalls, live music, vintage fashion and a pop-up bar from local distillery Spirit of Little Things.



## 'Tis the SEEson

23 November to 31 December | Throughout Subiaco

*There's nothing like Christmas in Subiaco.*

Discover six large-scale lighting installations on the Subiaco Twilight Trail, family-friendly fun as part of the popular Merry Moments program, seasonal tipples on the Christmas Cocktail Trail...and of course, special appearances from the man in red. Dine. Drink. Shop. Savour.



## ONE Subiaco Market

2 December | 10am to 3pm | Seddon Street

*Summer is market season – and we can't get enough.*

Check off your Christmas list at the special December edition of the ONE Subiaco Markets. With local artisanal goods, gourmet delights, and hours of fun for the little ones, there's no better way to soak up the sunshine and holiday spirit.



## Bark's Quiz Night

Every Thursday | From 7pm | BARK Subiaco

*Get your game face on.*

Head to BARK on Thursday nights from 7pm this summer for their brand-new quiz night. There are GOOD questions, bar prizes, chicken parmi and beer specials...plus hours of friendly competition. Bring your date, your housemates, even your parents – good times are guaranteed for all.

FOR MORE LOCAL EVENTS, VISIT  
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